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# KANNED KORN KOMIX



**Kanned Heat**  
*folly*  
BO SCHNEPE



# BEAR TAILS

BOB "THE BEAR" HITE WAS BORN IN A ONE ROOM SHED IN THE WOODS OUTSIDE OF TORRANCE, CALIFORNIA. HIS PARENTS WERE POOR & HONEST WHEAT FARMERS WHO SCRATCHED OUT A MEAGER LIVING IN A ONE ACRE PLOT NEAR THEIR HOME



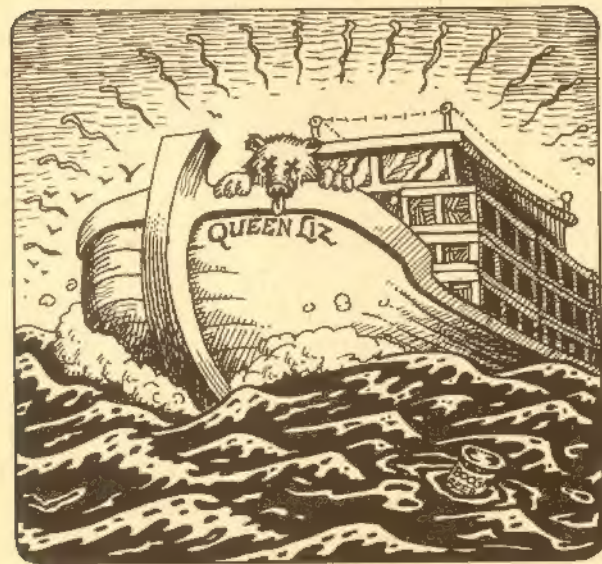
WHEN BOB WAS QUITE YOUNG HIS FATHER WAS COMMITTED FOR ATTEMPTING TO GROW WHEAT IN A FOREST. THE DISGRACE WAS TOO MUCH FOR BOB'S MOTHER WHO, AT THE SUGGESTION OF A FRIEND, TOOK YOUNG BOB & LEFT TORRANCE FOREVER. STOPPING ALONG THE ROAD TO REMOVE TAR & FEATHERS, BOB & HIS MOTHER DISCOVERED THEY WERE ALMOST PENNILESS.

OH HUNGER & MIS'RY ALL  
DE TIME ~ MY ONLIEST  
FRENS IS BLUES & WINE

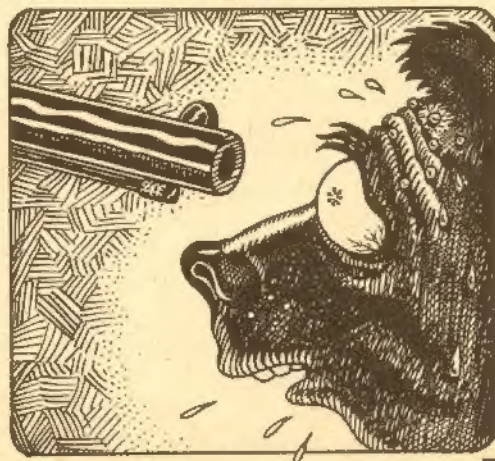




DON'T CRY MA! I MET THIS GUY JEAN LA FITTE  
DOWN AT THE FISHING VILLAGE. HE'LL HIRE ME  
ON HIS SHRIMP BOAT AS A CABIN BOY. HE SAID  
HE'D TEACH ME A LOT ABOUT MOVIN' SHRIMPS  
FROM ONE PORT TO ANOTHER WITHOUT BEING  
NOTICED. AWMA, WHAT'S IT NOW? MA! MA?



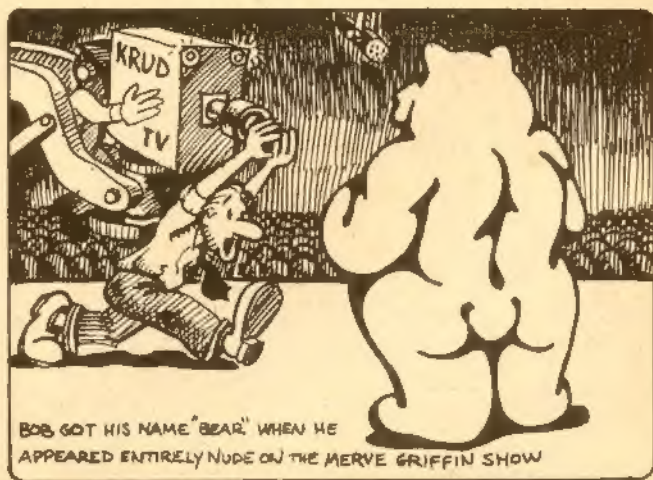
HOWEVER DESTINY WAS ONCE AGAIN TO HAVE  
HER WAY WITH BOB'S FUTURE. ON THE DAY THEY  
WERE TO HEAVE TO, THE SHRIMPBOAT WAS  
BOARDED AND THE ENTIRE CREW ARRESTED.







ONE DAY, A TRAVELING BLUES BAND LATER TO BECOME  
"CANNED HEAT" STOPPED AT THE FARM FOR A FREE MEAL.  
WHEN THEY HEARD BOB SING, THEY SIGNED HIM TO A  
CONTRACT WHICH WAS TO BECOME EFFECTIVE AF-  
TER HIS KORNTRACT WITH THE STATE EXPIRED. A  
YEAR LATER, BOB, UNFETTERED, HEADED FOR CALIFORNIA...





AT THE AGE OF TWELVE AL "THE OWL"  
WILSON STARED AT THE SUN FOR SIX  
HOURS AND DEVELOPED A CASE OF  
HYSTERICAL BLINDNESS.

HIS MOTHER WAS ESPECIALLY HYS-  
TERICAL. "AYEEE-E-E-I-E HOOT HOOT,"  
SHE SHRIEKED, "WHAT TO DO WITH OUR  
LITTLE..."



# BLIND OWL

HIS QUICK THINKING FATHER BOOKED PASSAGE FOR THE WHOLE FAMILY TO LOURDES,  
WHERE AL WAS PARTIALLY CURED BY A MIRACLE.



**MIRACLES**  
PERFORMED  
BY  
ALTERNATE  
THURSDAY  
MORNINGS  
5:00 AM SHARP

RETURNING TO THE USA, AL LIVED FOR A SHORT TIME ON A FARM IN KANSAS WHERE  
AN INDISCRETION FORCED HIM INTO A SHOTGUN WEDDING WITH A SHEEP.

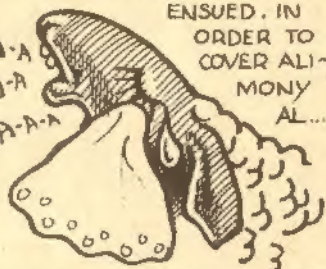




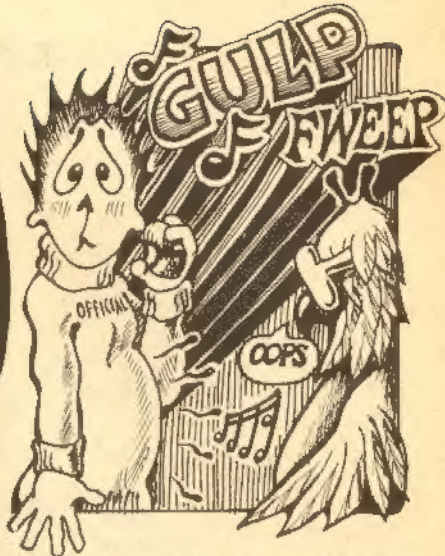
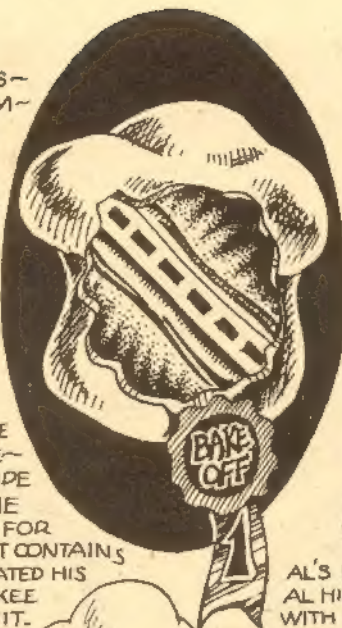
AS IS THE CASE WITH MOST SUCH MARRIAGES, THE COUPLE SOON DISCOVERED THAT THEY WERE INCOMPATIBLE AND A TRAGIC DIVORCE

ENSUED. IN ORDER TO COVER ALI-MONY AL...

BA-A-A  
BA-A-A  
BA-A-A-A



JOURNEYED TO KANSAS CITY WHERE HE ENTERED THE PILLSBURY BAKE-OFF. TO AL'S AMAZEMENT HIS RECIPE FOR "SURPRISE BISCUITS" WON THE BAKE-OFF. ORIGINALLY DESIGNED FOR CHILDRENS PARTIES, EACH BISCUIT CONTAINS A TOY HARMONICA. AL DEMONSTRATED HIS WINNING RECIPE BY PLAYING "YANKEE DOODLE" WHILE EATING THE BISCUIT.



AL'S RECIPE IDEA SWEEP THE COUNTRY — AL HIRED ON AS A PERMANENT OFFICIAL WITH THE BAKE OFF WHICH TRAVELED...



...FROM CITY TO CITY ACROSS THE COUNTRY. IN THIS WAY AL FOUND HIMSELF IN SAN FRANCISCO WITH FLOUR IN HIS HAIR.





ONE DAY A TRAVELING BLUES  
BAND LATER TO BECOME  
"CANNED HEAT" STOPPED AT  
THE BAKE OFF FOR A FREE  
MEAL AND...

WHAT HAVE  
WE HERE?

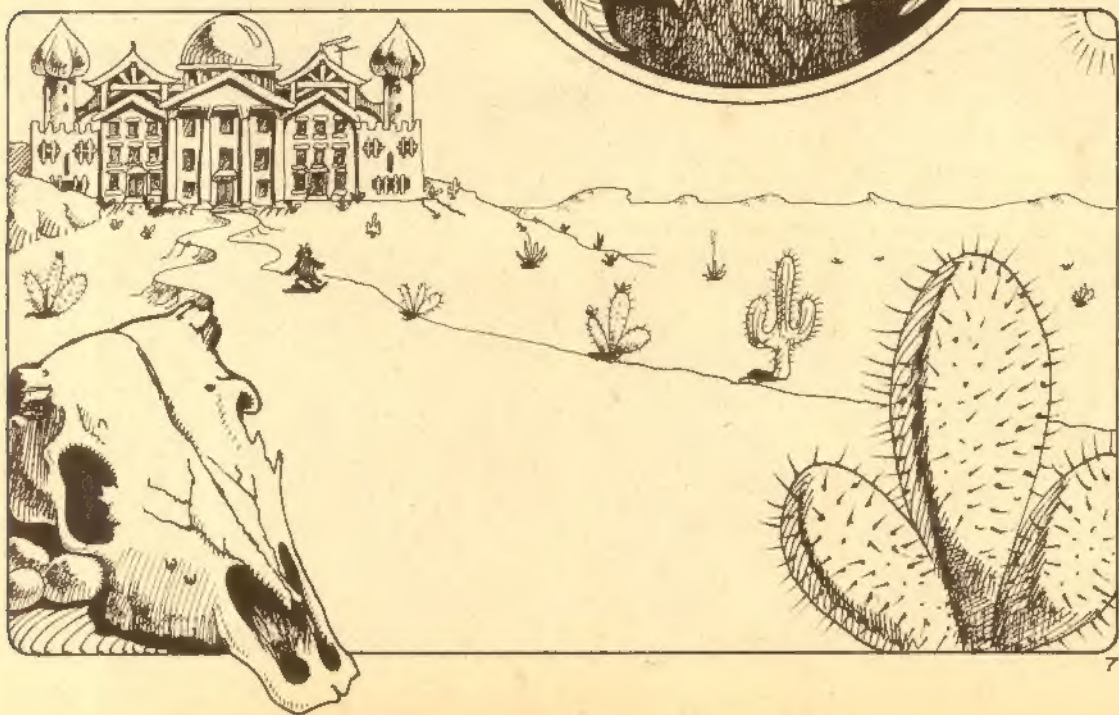
AY CARRAMEA!!!  
THIS LITTLE HOWL IS GOOD  
((MY FEET WON'T STOP!!))

OWOW

CLUNK



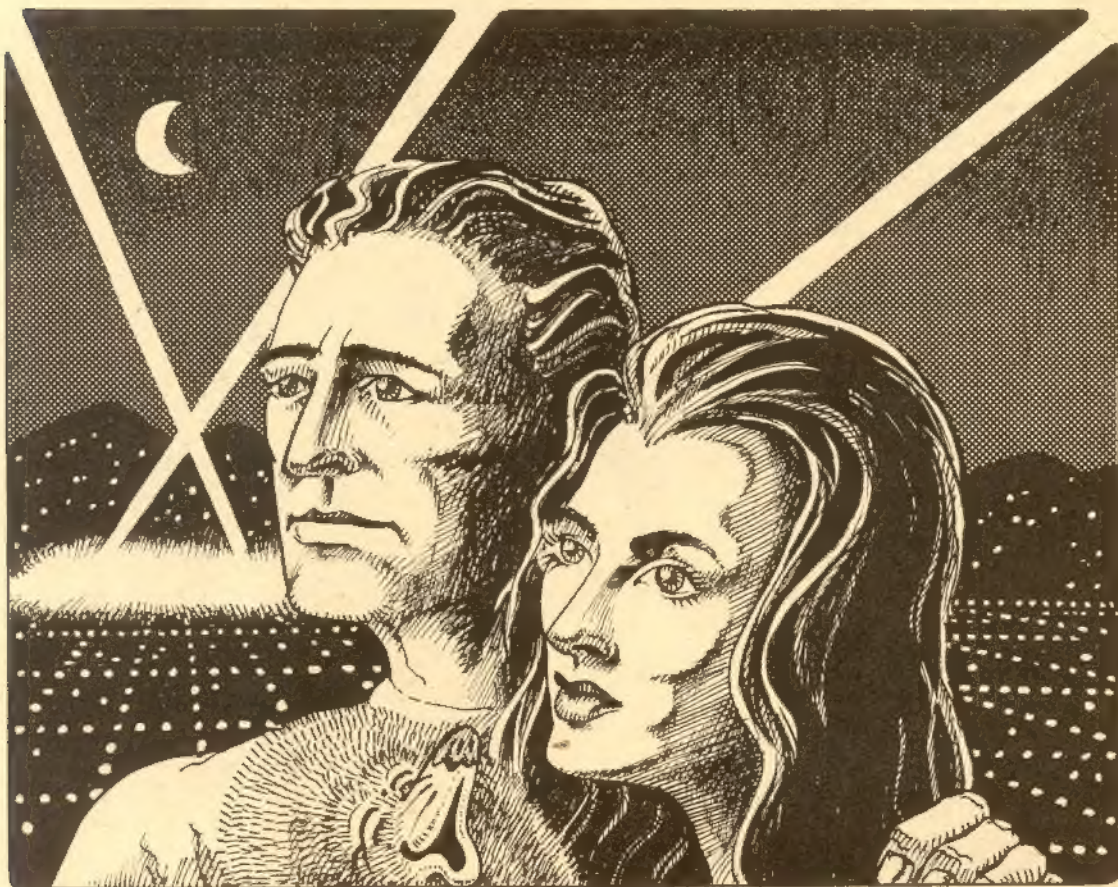
AL SOON BECAME A PERMANENT  
MEMBER OF **CANNED HEAT** AND  
LEARNED TO PLAY BOTTLENECK  
GUITAR AS WELL AS HARP.  
HE NOW LIVES IN SPLENDOR IN  
A PALATIAL FORTY-FIVE ROOM  
ESTATE OVERLOOKING DEATH  
VALLEY.





# The *Movie*

OUR HERO, LARRY TAYLOR, IS IN ACTUALITY THE CHILD OF TWO OF HOLLYWOOD'S GREATEST STARS, LARRY "BUSTER" CRABBE AND ELIZABETH TAYLOR. YOUNG LARRY GREW UP IN HOLLYWOOD; HOLLYWOOD IN ITS HEYDAY, WHEN EVERY STAR WANTED HIS CHILD TO FOLLOW IN HIS PARENTS' FOOTSTEPS.



LARRY SPENT HIS ENTIRE CHILDHOOD LEARNING:  
TO ACT



TO SING



TO DANCE



TO LOOK GREAT





HE WAS TO MAKE HIS FILM  
DEBUT, STARRING IN...

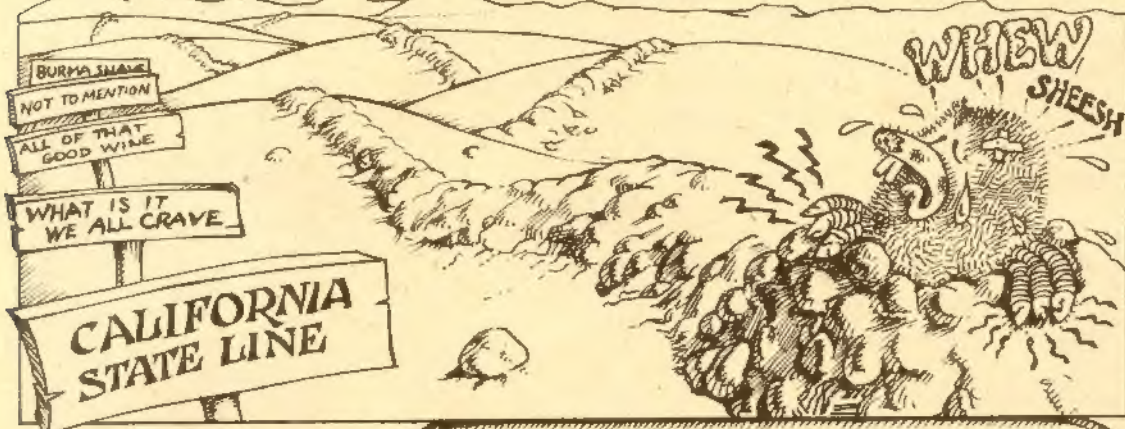
2 SAMUEL GOLDWIN  
production

# AREN'T WE CUTE

STARRING  
GLORIA  
JEAN

INTRODUCING  
LARRY <sup>"THE MINE"</sup>  
TAYLOR

HOWEVER, WHEN THE FIRST DAY OF SHOOTING ARRIVED, LARRY WAS NOT TO BE FOUND. A VICTIM OF THE PRESSURES  
AND ANXIETIES OFTEN ASSOCIATED WITH HOLLYWOOD...



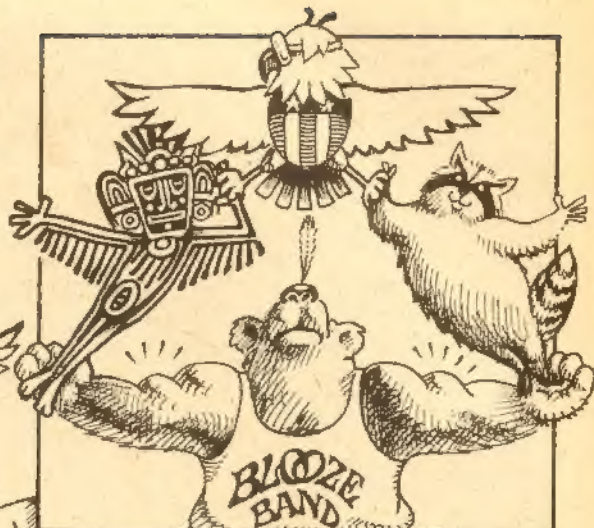
...LARRY HAD RUN OFF TO FULFILL A CHILDHOOD DREAM. HE HAD BECOME A FAITH HEALER. BROTHER LARRY, AS HE WAS CALLED FOR THE NEXT SEVEN YEARS, GREW ACCUSTOMED TO A LIFE OF TRAVELING AND PREACHING IN TENTS AROUND ABOUT.

DOES THE SPIRIT **MOVE** YOU, BROTHERS AND SISTERS? DO **YOU** HAVE **FAITH**? WELL NOW LET'S **POOL** THAT **FAITH** AND DO SOME **RIGHTEOUS HEALIN'** HERE TODAY!!!  
(LIKE THIS DURNED HANGNAIL OF MINE)





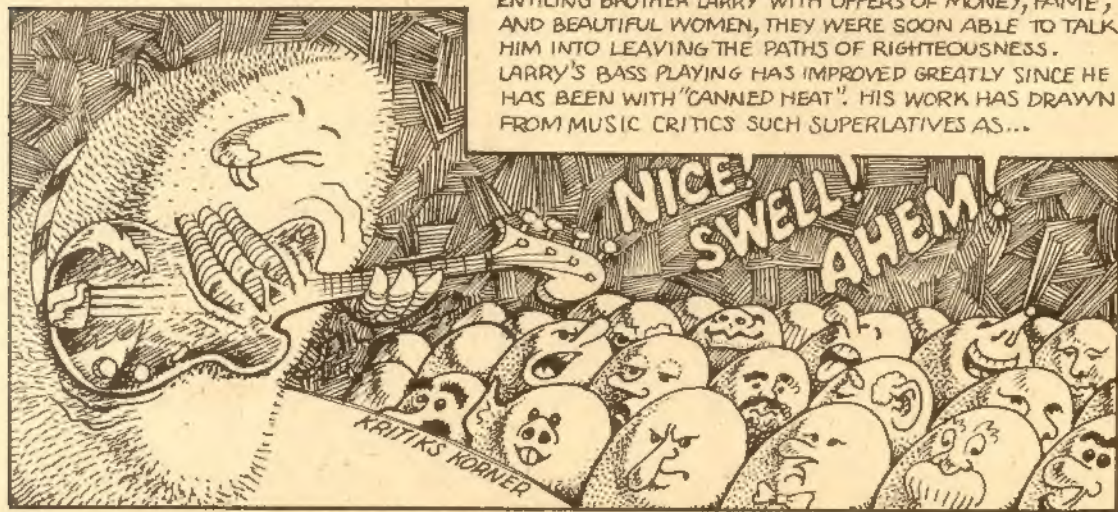
① ONE DAY A TRAVELLING BLUES BAND, LATER TO BECOME "CANNED HEAT" STOPPED AT THE CRUSADE FOR A FREE MEAL.



WHEN THEY HEARD BROTHER LARRY PLAYING AND SINGING "BRINGIN' IN THE SHEAVES" THEY REALIZED THAT HERE, AT LAST, WAS THE BASS PLAYER THEY HAD SOUGHT FOR SO LONG.



ENTICING BROTHER LARRY WITH OFFERS OF MONEY, FAME, AND BEAUTIFUL WOMEN, THEY WERE SOON ABLE TO TALK HIM INTO LEAVING THE PATHS OF RIGHTEOUSNESS. LARRY'S BASS PLAYING HAS IMPROVED GREATLY SINCE HE HAS BEEN WITH "CANNED HEAT". HIS WORK HAS DRAWN FROM MUSIC CRITICS SUCH SUPERLATIVES AS...





# FILO

ADOLFO FILO DE LA PARRA HAD A HAPPY CHILDHOOD. HE NEVER LACKED COMPANIONSHIP SINCE ONE OF HIS THIRTY-FIVE BROTHERS AND SISTERS WAS ALWAYS BOUND TO BE AROUND THE HOUSE. FILO SHOWED A MARKED INTEREST IN ART FROM

HIS EARLIEST DAYS. HIS PARENTS ALWAYS

ENCOURAGED THIS INTEREST AS THEY COULD. WHEN FILO WAS FIFTEEN HE WENT OFF TO THE ART CAPITAL OF MEXICO—TIJUANA—WHERE HE DECIDED THAT A LIFE DEDICATED TO ART WOULD DEFINITELY BE HIS.



TO KEEP HIMSELF FINANCIALLY SECURE WHILE PURSUING HIS STUDIES, FILO OPENED HIS OWN EMPLOYMENT AGENCY THROUGH WHICH MANY YOUNG GIRLS OF TIJUANA FOUND WORK. AS A CULTURAL OUTLET, FILO PARTICIPATED IN SOME OF THE FIRST "HAPPENINGS." THESE WERE FORTUNATELY FILMED FOR USE BY ART STUDENTS OF THE FUTURE. ALTHOUGH THE QUALITY OF THE FILMS SECELENT, IT'S OFTEN DIFFICULT TO IDENTIFY FILO BECAUSE OF THE PAPER BATH WHICH HE WORE OVER HIS HEAD AS A SYMBOL OF ARTISTIC REBELLION.





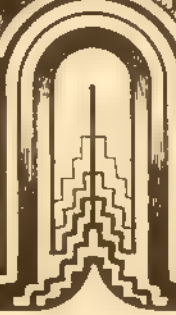
AS IS TOO OFTEN THE CASE WITH YOUNG ARTISTS THE INGESTION OF EXCESSIVE AMOUNTS OF FOOD AND DRINK BECAME FITO'S HABIT AND HE CONTRACTED A SERIOUS CASE OF AZTEC TWO STEP.



THE NEXT FOUR YEARS WERE SPENT IN HOSPITAL BATHROOMS AND IT WAS DECIDED BY HIS DOCTORS THAT IT WOULD BE BEST FOR FITO'S HEALTH IF HE WERE TO LEAVE MEXICO FOREVER.



DISILLUSIONED AND PENNILESS, OUR HERO HEADED FOR MIAMI BEACH WHERE HE HAD HEARD OF AN OPENING AS AN ALLIGATOR WRESTLER.



FITO SOON BECAME THE BEST GATOR STOMPER IN MIAMI BEACH, SOMETIMES SUBDUING AS MANY AS TWENTY FIVE ALLIGATORS IN A DAY.



ONE DAY A TRAVELLING BLUES BAND  
LATER TO BECOME 'CANNED HEAT'  
STOPPED AT THE RANCH FOR A FREE  
MEAL. THEY SAW F TO POUND NG AN

ALLIGATOR INTO SUBMISSION AND THEY  
DECIDED THAT, AT LAST THEY HAD  
FOUND THEIR DRUMMER. F TO JOINED  
THE BAND AND QUIT GATOR STUMPING

LISTEN TO  
HIS RHYTHMS  
GUYS //

OOH'OH!  
SO MASTERFUL  
SO COMMANDING  
OW' UNGH!!  
OO'OOH'

UNCLE

SON OFFA  
GUNNA' I  
WUNNER IF  
HE KIN PLAY  
TRAPS DAT  
GOOD'

F TO IS EXTREMELY INTERESTED IN ASTRONOMY  
AND BEING AN AQUARIAN, SPENDS EVERY  
SPARE MINUTE IN THE TUB. AT THE ASHGROVE  
IN LA HE ACTUALLY APPEARED ONSTAGE  
IN A TUB, FULLY OUTFITTED WITH HIS DRUMS

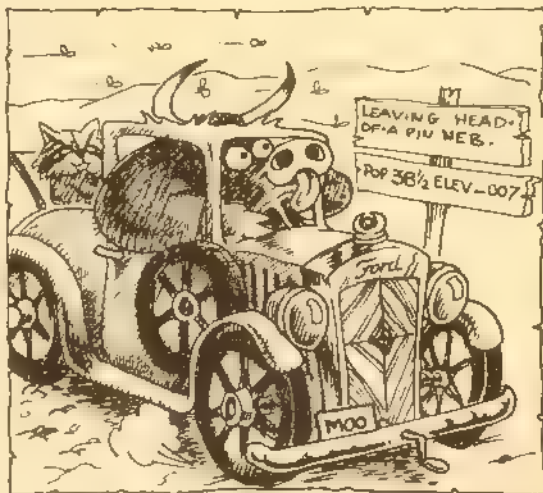


# RACCOON'S TUNES

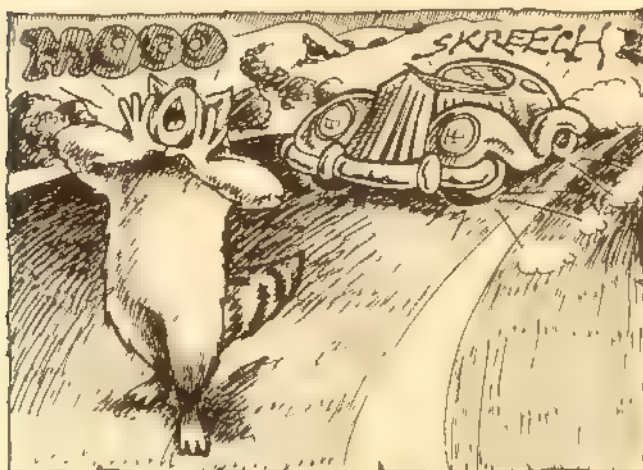


HENRY "THE RACCOON" VESTINE WAS BORN IN THE TINY TOWN OF HEAD OF A PIN NEBRASKA...

HENRY'S FAMILY WAS THE RICHEST IN TOWN AND HIS FATHER'S PRIZE POSSESSIONS WERE HIS 2 CHICKENS WHICH HE WASHED AND WAXED IN THE YARD EVERY SATURDAY.



HENRY LED A QUIET LIFE UNTIL AT THE AGE OF THREE HE WAS SPIRITED AWAY IN A 1933 FORD BY WHAT HIS MOTHER LATER DESCRIBED TO POLICE AS A LARGE COW

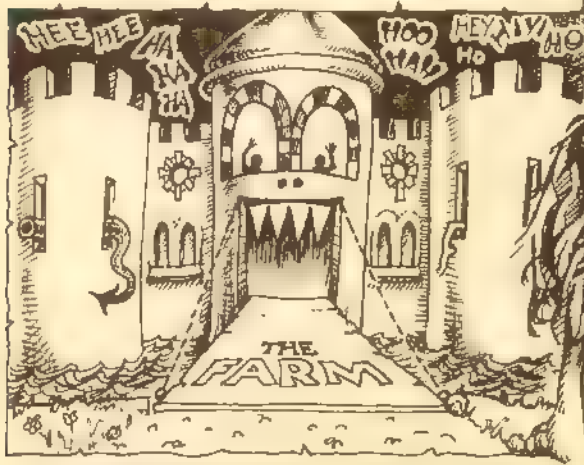


TEN YEARS LATER, HENRY TURNED UP WANDERING DAZEDLY ALONG THE HIGHWAY IN CALIFORNIA MOOING LOUDLY. HE WAS DISCOVERED BY TWO MOTORISTS WHO TURNED HIM OVER TO THE JUVENILE AUTHORITIES WHO IN TURN...

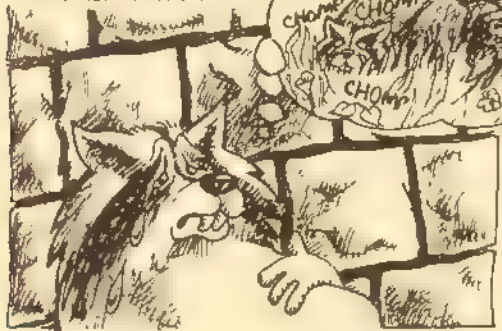




...SENT HIM TO A LARGE ESTATE CALLED "THE FARM"  
WHERE THEY SAID HE WOULD BE HAPPY. AND  
COULD DO ALL HE WANTED TO WITHOUT BEING  
DISTURBED. BUT HENRY WAS NOT HAPPY...

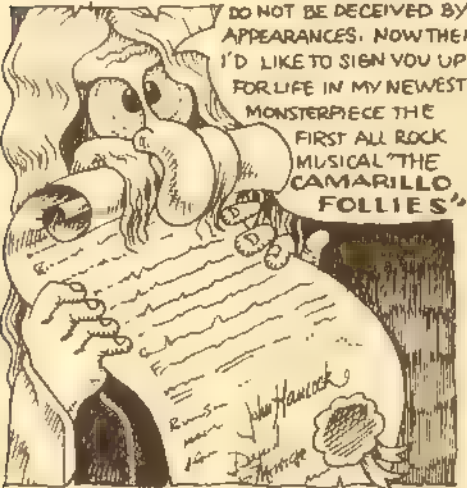


AS HE LEARNED TO COMMUNICATE MORE AND MORE  
WITH PEOPLE AROUND HIM HE LONGED TO FREE  
HIMSELF FROM THE GREY WALLS WHICH  
SURROUNDED HIM AND HEAD  
FOR GREENER PASTURES.



YOU MAY WELL MISTAKE ME FOR  
GOD. MANY PEOPLE DO. BUT IN  
ACTUALITY I AM THE PRODUCER  
**DAVID MERRICK**

WELL ACTUALLY I THOUGHT  
YOU WERE RICK GRIFIN.





SKWEEEAW  
TWANG ROAR  
POW SPLUT

ON OPENING NIGHT A TRAVELING BLUES  
BAND LATER TO BECOME "CANNED  
HEAT" STOPPED AT THE HOSPITAL  
FOR A FREE MEAL AND...

GLORF-UMMA  
SLOPP-A-WUNCH  
YEAH!

BWEE  
DOP  
A  
WANG  
PLUG

HAPPY AS A COW  
A  
"CREWIN"  
ON ITS  
CUD...

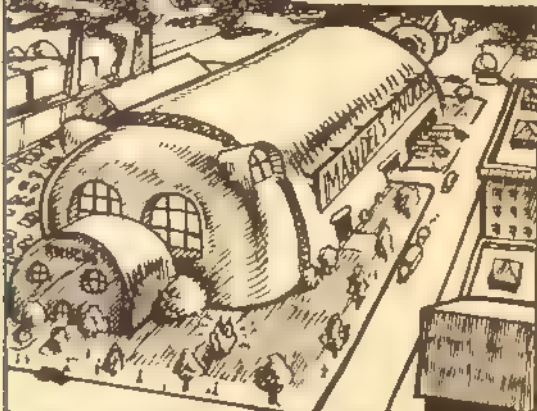
ZOT'Z ALRODNY  
THIS KID'S A D  
WHIZ!

SAMN' IM  
UP BRUTHAS

HARVEY "THE SNAKE"  
MANDEL WAS BORN IN  
CHICAGO TO MORRIE  
MANDEL AND SOCIALITE  
ERIKA "THE SNAKE" VAN  
RUYSDAHL. HARVELA  
LIVED HAPPILY UNTIL  
HIS SECOND BIRTHDAY  
WHEN HIS MATERNAL  
GRANDMOTHER, REGINA

"THE SNAKE" VAN RUYSDAHL, DISCOVERED THAT  
HER DAUGHTER WAS MARRIED  
NOT TO THE MORRIE  
MANDEL, PLAYBOY, SHIPPING  
MAGNATE BUT TO MORRIE MANDEL  
OWNER, OPERATOR OF THE  
WORLD'S LARGEST PIG-KNUCKLE  
PICKLING PLANT REGINA  
CONTACTED ERIKA AND...

# A TALE OF PATHOS AND PIGS KNUCKLES



ERIKA, THIS IS YOUR  
MOTHER. DIVORCE  
THAT GROSS FELLOW  
AT ONCE & BRING  
THAT LITTLE PIGLET  
SNAKE OF YOURS  
HOME TO MOTHER



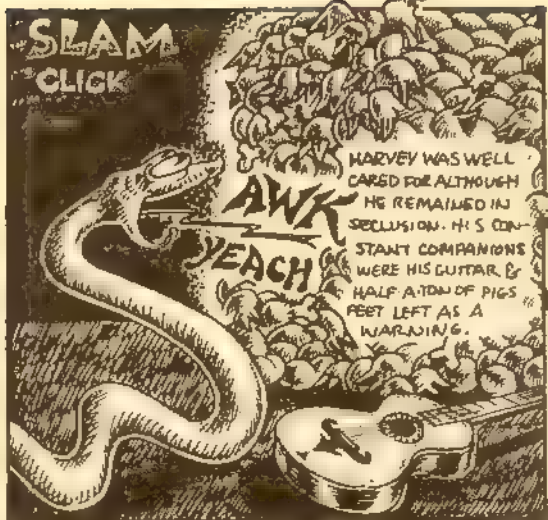
IT'S BETTER THIS WAY HARVEY  
REGINA ALWAYS KNOWS BEST. SHE'LL  
TAKE GOOD CARE OF YOU HONEY.



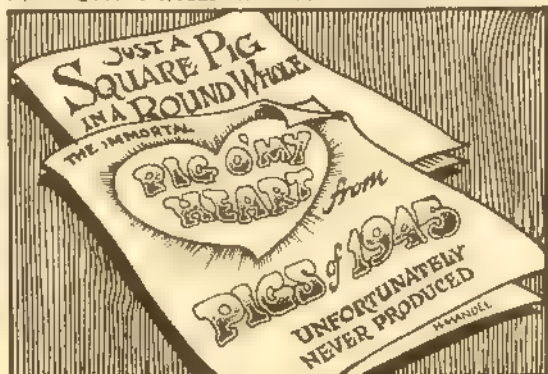
ERIKA BEING AN OBEYIENT DAUGHTER AND A  
BIT OF A SIMP FOLLOWED HER MOTHERS ORDERS.



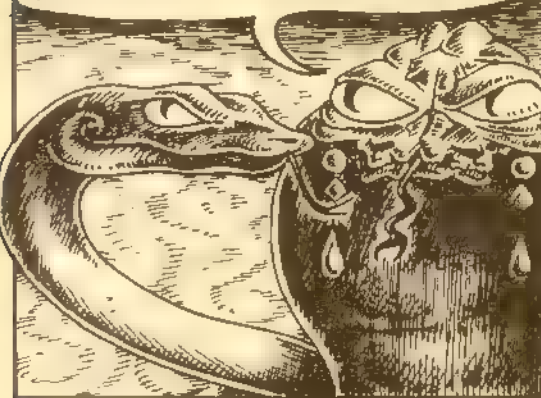
NOW CHILD THIS IS YOUR ROOM, WHERE YOU SHALL REMAIN UNTIL YOUR EIGHTEENTH BIRTHDAY.



FROM AN EARLY AGE HARVEY TAUGHT HIMSELF TO PLAY AND WRITE MUSIC. BECAUSE OF ENVIRONMENTAL CONDITIONS HIS MATERIAL HAD A LIMITED SUBJECT RANGE. DURING THESE YEARS HARVEY WROTE MANY SONGS INCLUDING SUCH GREATS AS...



YOU ARE 18 YEARS OLD NOW - YOU MAY LEAVE YOUR PIG-PEN (AS YOU CALL IT) & TAKE YOUR GUITAR & SEEK YOUR FORTUNE IN THE OUTSIDE WORLD. DON'T LOOK AT ME THAT WAY





HARVEY ENTERED THE AUDITORIUM WHERE "CANNED HEAT" WAS PLAYING. AT THAT MOMENT HENRY WAS PLAYING A SOLO. HARVEY, SEEING THE GUITAR AND THINKING IN HIS BEFUDDLED MIND THAT A RACCOON WAS A MEMBER OF THE PIG FAMILY...



LEAPT UPON THE STAGE AND SWALLOWED THE RACCOON IN ONE GULP, FRIGHTENING OFF THE ASTOUNDED BAND



MEMBERS WITH GREAT HIS-SING NOISES, PROCEEDED TO TAKE A FOURTEEN HOUR GUITAR BREAK. M-M-M-M-M

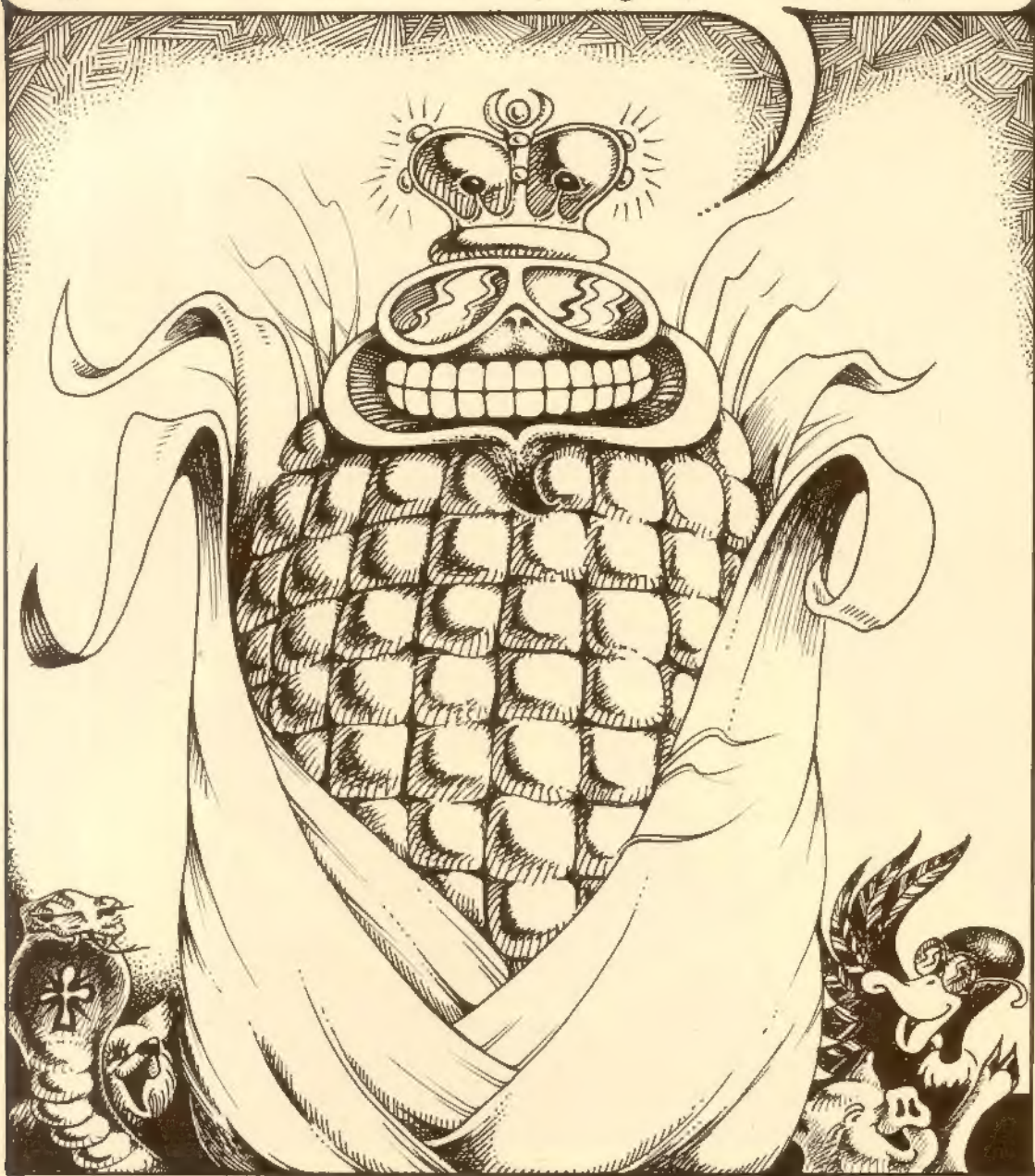


ONE OF THE BEST DRESSED MUSICIANS ON THE SCENE HARVEY HAS A COMPLETE WARDROBE OF "V" NECK TEE SHIRTS DESIGNED FOR HIM BY YVES ST. LAURENT.





# REMEMBER DOLLINKS: KORN IS KING



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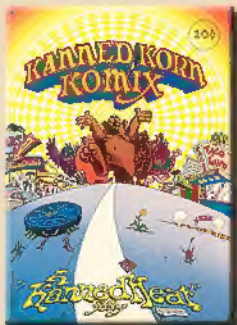
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